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**NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT TO
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Sir:

The undersigned hereby notifies the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office of the loss of entitlement to small entity status in the above-referenced patent application. Accordingly, the verified statement filed in this application is hereby withdrawn.

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